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Great Variety Garden Seeds-The Best Kind at the Lowest Prices



2000KnitUnderwear--85c Vals. 39c

Exceptional bargains for today and tomorrow that are bound to appeal to women who appreciate good fitting underwear of excellent make-Every garment offered being worth twice the special price asked-2,000 garments ladies' knit underwear, including union suits, fancy vests, lace trimmed pants, long sleeve vests, corset covers, lace trimmed sleeveless vests, in lisle and Values up to 85c—Special 39c

Women's and Misses' New Spring Jackets Just Received Express Shipment for Special Sale

TODAY \$4.85

Ladies' and misses' new Spring Jackets, short double-breasted box effect, in a large variety of fancy tweeds, gray and tan checks, also stripes and plaids,

trimmed with black, brown or green velvet collars-Just the thing for early spring wear-Special sale \$4.85 An extensive assortment of jackets that will instantly appeal to anyone interested in sensible and serviceable stylish effects-The demand has indicated the popularity of these jackets and we therefore advise early selection-These jackets can be found on the second floor

All the New Popular Music on Sale at the Very Lowest Prices



Wash Goods Section's Bargains

A foreign shipment of a nost desirable fabric has just been received and placed on sale this morning in the center alale \$1 IMPORT'D DOTTED SWISS, 32 INCH 48¢ 6,000 yards of 32-inch imported dotted Swisses in light and dark blue, green, yellow, pink and black and white Values \$1, today

Covers at \$1.27

Ladies' French Embroidered Corset Covers, blouse fronts, tucked backs, eyelets drawn with ribbon. Regular value, \$1.75, special, only

Special lot ladies' high-class white

Underskirts, made with wide fancy flounces, trimmed, lace and embroidery flouncings, clusters of tucks and insertions. Regular \$10

The \$1.75 Corset Petticoats \$7.75 Spring Ribbons \$2 Gowns \$1.57 50,000 yards 6-inch heavy all-silk taffeta ribbon for hair bows and

> millinery-black, white and all colors-bows and sashes made free. Reg. 45c values, on special sale at, yd.....

Special lot Ladies' Cambric and Nainsook Gowns, made with low neck and short sleeves, high neck, long sleeves; trimmed in good quality embroideries, regular \$2 only, each \$1.57 value; special, at

NewPearlButtons

TODAY

\$4.85

3,000 dozen white deep sea pearl buttons, plain and fancy, sizes 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22 line. Regular 10c, 15c and 20c. Special at 5¢ per dozen, Button Counter, on

New \$1 Silks 69c

A Special Purchase of 2,000 Yds. New Effects. 1,000 yards of new Shirtwaist and Suiting Silks in all the new colorings, in figures, stripes and checks, \$1.00 values

Waltz Dream Bow

The new waltz dream silk bow for ladies. . Made in checks, plaids and plain colors. Regular 50c values, special at 25¢. Large stock of Ribbons in all the latest colors and



Great Handkerch's Values for Women 20c-25c Kind 15c

A phenomenal value in women's Handkerchiefs, a variety of patterns-All the kinds that are so eagerly sought for, and for today we offer 1,000 dozen women's Handkerchiefs, three styles, 1/8 - inch white hemstitched colored initials-1/8inch colore hemstitched checked centers, imiation American lace edge-Regular 20c and 25c values at

Today and Tomorrow's Sale \$4.50 Kid Gloves at \$3.39 Length

Today and tomorrow at our



ted, warranted-Colors black, navy, brown, tan, red, green -Best fitting glove in the market - Reg-

ular \$4.50 vals.

Ladies' Oxfords

\$3.00 and \$3.50 values on sale for only \$2.35 Included in this lot are women's tan Russia calf, golden brown kid, patents, colt and black vici kid, made in blucher, button, 2-eyelet and Gibson tie styles with heavy extension or light weight soles and Cuban heels-Every pair new and nobby spring styles-all sizes and widths-We fit these shoes the same as regular priced goods-\$3.00 and \$3.50 values—On \$2.3.



Sale of Silk Crepe Scarfs \$2.19

\$4.00 Values in an assortment of 900 figured crepe scarfs, 2 yds. long, 18 in. wide, hemstitched ends, blue, pink, navy, brown, etc. Reg. \$4.00 vals., spec....\$2.19

2,000 Yards Face Veilings on Sale at 12cYard

2,000 yds. beautiful face Veilings, including Tuxedo nets, chenille dotted and hair lines, colors black, navy, brown, white, red, sky, pink; all perfect goods. Reg. values up to 75c yard, for this sale, yard.....

Sale Great Books

SEE FIFTH STREET WINDOW DISPLAY 50c books. Ask for catalogue. "Half a Rogue," by Harold MacGrath; "Lion and the Mouse," by Hornblow; "Garden of Allah," by R. Hitchens; "Barbara Winslow," by E. Ellis; "Tillie," by Jean Webster; "When Patty Went to College," and many others, heretofore sold for \$1.50, very special, at this sale, per copy......

Any of the above and many other good books 50c

Sale of Garden Needs

REDUCTIONS FOR TODAY-TOMORROW.

It will certainly be to your advantage to visit this Basement Department today, as we have named some splendid special prices in necessary Garden Tools, among which are:

Pruning	Shears.	at55¢ at29¢ at4¢	Garden	Trowels.	at 12¢
Spading	rorks,	at	[] Ladies	Trowers,	at

Just a word about other needs in this line and for which we are headquarters: Lawn Mowers, Hose, Lakes, Shovels, Spades, Spading Forks, Hoes, Lawn Sprinklers, Refrigerators, Wheelbarrows, Garden Implements.

Two-Day Sale of Groceries

housekeeper. We have planned some great attractions for this section of the store for today and tomorrow. Soda fountain is also in the Basement, where light lunches are served during entire day.

1 32-oz. Imp. French Oil, special for this sale \$1.05 1-lb. can Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate, spe. this sale 29¢ 1-lb. pkg. Bakers' Premium Chocolate, spe. this sale. 42¢ California Navel Oranges, special this sale 171/4 1/2-lb. can Minced Clams, special for this sale 10¢ 1-lb. jar Imported German Mustard, spec. this sale. . . 20¢ 1-lb. pkg. Fancy Seeded Raisins, spec. this sale. 10¢

Great Reductions in Our Stock Adjustment Sale of Carpets Without Parallel—Do Not Overlook These Money-Saving Opportunities

USE POLAR BEARS TO DRAW SLEDS

Captain Amundsen Plans Novel Features for Next Northern Expedition.

Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the Northwest passage, and who is planning to make another voyage, starting in 1910, arrived at the Hotel Portland this morning on his way to Seatland this morning on his way to Seattie. The Norwegian explorer visited
Council Crest this morning and said that
the view was one of the finest he had
ever seen. The snow-capped mountains
in the distance appealed to him particniarly and he was more than enthusiastic over Portland's scenery and the
city's surroundings.

"I do not expect to discover the north
poie on my next voyage," the captain
said this morning, "but should I happen
to be in the Immediate vicinity of
where the center is located, of course I
would take advantage of the situation.
But the discovery of the north pole
would be absolutely of no importance
or use to the world so on the trip that I
am now planning I do not expect to
find it."

Starting from Norway and again going through the Northwest passage,
Captain Amundsen expects that the second voyage will requise about four land this morning on his way to Seat-

ond voyage will requise about four years or just about the same length of time as he spent away from civilization on his latest trip when the passage was discovered. "My next voyage is to be a purely scientific expedition," the captain continued. "I shall spend much of my time in studying the ocean currents of the passage and of the great unexplored waste north of the Bering Straights. My intention is to make a feature of the lasurements of the speed and movements of the ice drifts, take deep seasoundings from time to time and to study meteorological conditions."

The Gloa in which Captain Amundsen made hie last trip is now in San Francisco. He expects to have a larger vessel on his next expedition and several of the six members of his former crew on the memorable voyage through the passage. The boat is to be supplied with a gesoline engine and sails. When traveling overland in the northern regions the highest makes tidea is to use trained on bears, instead of dogs. Use Polar Bears for Team.

Captain Amundsen was accompanied to Council Crest by Endre M. Cederbergh of Portland, vice consul for Norway, and Dr. David Walker, also of this city, and himself a member of the famous McClintock expedition. Dr. Walker was the surgeon with the party which went in search of the Sir John Franklin expedition and learned the fate of the 139 men who had perished. This was 49 years ago. The McClintocks were near the point where Captain Amundsen discovered the magnetic pole and which is close to King William's land. Until today Dr. Walker and the captain had never met.

Captain Amundsen leaves for Seattle this afternoon and will return to Portland March 28, when he lectures at the Heilig.

Hotels Unable to Meet Demand Threaten Abolishment of System.

Portland's free bus line to nearly all

Portland's free bus line to nearly all hotels is again threatened with abolishment.

Talk of doing away with the free rides to the hotels was resumed several days ago stronger than ever and has been renewed owing to the fact that the Saiem electric line has a depot in another part of the city and with the busses now in use it is impossible to make the two passenger stations.

But one hotel—the Portland—now maintains a bus line which charges. All the others, and there are many of them, have vehicles which meet the trains day and night and carry patrons free of

busses now in use it is impossible to make the two passenger stations.

But one hotel—the Portland—now maintains a bus line which charges. All the others, and there are many of them, have vehicles which meet the trains day and night and carry patrons free of charge. The hotel managers now running free bus lines claim that they are doing so under great expense and as they are unable to take in the Salem line they have been advocating the abolishment of the free bus altogether.

If it is decided to charge hotel patrons more carriers will probably be put on so as to make it possible to meet all trains at the two passenger stations.

Alexander Sweek, chairman of the Democratic state committee, has announced his candidacy for member of the party's county committee from precinct 25. N. J. Day is a candidate in precinct 94 and E. H. Stivers in 85. T. F. Pierce wants to go on the Republican committee from precinct 59.

Lacey Brothers Threaten to Move Plant Onto Williams Avenue.

Levi M. Lacey, manager of Lacey Brothers' packing plant, declared today that should the city council give Schwartzschild & Sulzburger permission to install a packing plant in south Portland that his firm would establish a packing house and slaughter pen on Williams avenue in conjunction with the cold storage plant there. The cold storage plant where it is proposed to add a packing establishment is located near Russell street in the central portion of the Albina business district. Lacey Brothers is a local house. At present the slaughtering for the firm is done on the peninsula near Columbia

Not in City Limits.

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It is reported that the administrative forces of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, while greatly desiring the location of packing houses at Portland, r. will take a position hostile to the location of these institutions on the Williamette river within the city limits. A special committee appointed by President C. F. Swigert held a meeting today, after investigation of the subject, and is formulating a report to be laid perfore a meeting of the chamber trustees to be held tomerrow merning.

The committee is composed of S. H. Gruber, J. C. Ainsworth, J. A. Keating, J. C. Rountree and F. L. Pendleton, They were appointed to look into the matter of the city granting the privilleges of slaughter houses operating inside the city limits and the locating of

the proposed Schwartzschild & Sulzburger packing house on the Zimmerman Meat company's site in south Portland. This site fronts on the Wil-lamette river, and is in the midst of a lamette river, and is in the midst of a manufacturing and residence section of the city. Some years ago the city council passed an ordinance prohibiting the operation of slaughter houses within the city limits. The council has been asked to rescind this ordinance to clear the way for the locating of the Sulzburger plant on the Zimmerman site.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce special committee would not commit themselves today after the meeting, but it was stated that they were formulating their report, and there is reason to believe that it will be strongly against the location of a packing plant inside the residence sections of the city.

NEW CORPORATIONS FILE THEIR ARTICLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., March 17 .- Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of state as follows: The Tickler company-Principal office, Portland, Oregon; capital stock, \$5,000; incorporators, J. M. Freeman, Abner H. Jones and Fred W. Prasp. The Brunswick-Balke-Collender company—Incorporated under the laws of Delaware; capital stock, \$1,500,000; at-torney in fact, A. W. Williamson, Port-land, Oregon.

Sirloin Roast Beef, bonéless.

Best Tenderloin Steak.

Hams and Half-Hams.

First cut of Prime Rib Roast Beef.

Small "T"-Bone and Porterhouse Steak.

Home-made Pork Sausage. Center cut of Shoulder Roast Pork, lean. Heavy Breakfast Bacon.

That Mayor Lane will not accept the decision of the council as final in regard to special committees is certain because of a statement he made this morning to the effect that he would re- the city at the First Congregational appoint a franchise committee to take church April 6. One of the features the place of the one recalled by the will be an illustrated talk on Oregon council last week. While Mayor Lane historical matters by George H. Himes, but appropried the membership of curator of the Oregon Historical society. has not announced the membership of the committee he will probably do so this week.

Another committee that Mayor Lane does not want to see recalled is the trust committee. The council has al-ready taken action in this matter but

An entertainment will be given by the various Congregational men's clubs of

WILL CONTINUE SPECIAL SERVICES

the resolution which was to have come up last week was misplaced. If the council insists that the trust investigating committee be recalled, Mayor Lane will probably appoint a new one consisting of the three lawyers in the council, Vaughn, Bennett and Cellars.

Chairman Doesn't Appear.

There was no meeting of the special committee appointed by the council to investigate alleged local trusts yesterday morning as scheduled because of the The protracted meetings at the Cen-

failure of Chairman Vaughn to put in an appearance. Councilmen Belding and Concannon put off action until called together again by the chairman. Two witnesses were present to testify in the furniture case, which is still pending before the committee.

CURATOR HIMES TO

SPEAK BEFORE CLUB

An entertainment will be given by the

WASHINGTON G. O. P. COMMITTEE MEETING

(Special Dispatch to The Journal) Olympia, Wash., March 17 .- The Re publican state convention to elect delegates to the national convention wil probably meet at Spokane this year. The state central committee is to convene a Seattle tomorrow to select a time and

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226 Alder St., Between First and Second

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Heavy end of Prime-Rib Roast Beef. Best Round Steak. Hamburg Steak. First cut of Shoulder Roast Pork.

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Short Ribs of Beef. Plates, Brisket and Necks, a fine lot

Smelt, 6 lbs. for25c Halibut, 3 lbs. for. .25c Chinook Salmon ... 15c Oysters, pint30c

Fancy Fat Chickens, 16c to 20c

Turkeys20c-221/2c

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to boil and stew.